

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	Carl L. Hammonds	Customer No:	23,444
Serial No.:	10/676,184	Group No.:	3746
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For:	<b>Metering Pump</b>	Examiner:	Michael Koczo, Jr.

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Examiner:

With reference to the Office Action of 16 March 2007, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks in response to the examiner's rejection of the claims. Please amend this application according to the amendments to the specification beginning on page 2 and the amendments to the claims beginning on page 3.

Please also see the remarks beginning on page 9.